

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

TOP SECRET

ORIG :
UNIT :
EXT :
DATE : 26 June 1961

TO :

FROM: DIRECTOR

CONF: DPD (1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8)

INFO :

VP

TOR: 0122Z 27 JUN 61

to

CITE

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27 JUN 61 ROUTING 222				25X1
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JUN 28 1961 HFS CFC CFC WBS				
PROCESSOR	DEFERRED	PRIORITY	INITIALS	
	ROUTINE	OPERATIONAL IMMEDIATE	INITIALS	
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1. PART I.

THIS PRELIMINARY OAK REPORT PRECEDES A SERIES OF DAILY OAK REPORTS IN WHICH EACH OF THE HIGHEST-PRIORITY INTELLIGENCE ITEMS REFLECTED IN THE COMOR TARGET LISTING WILL BE REPORTED, INCLUDING NEGATIVE FINDINGS. THE OAK-REPORTING PHASE OF EXPLOITATION ON MISSION 9017 COMMENCED AT 0830 HOURS, 26 JUNE 1961.

MISSION 9017 WAS ACCOMPLISHED ON 17, 18, AND 19 JUNE 1961. IT CONSISTS OF 31 PHOTOGRAPHIC PASSES OVER THE SINO-SOVIET BLOC.

PRELIMINARY EVALUATION INDICATES THAT APPROXIMATELY 35 PERCENT OF THE COVERAGE IS CLOUD FREE. THE PI QUALITY OF THE UNOBSURED COVERAGE IS GENERALLY GOOD. THE SCALE OF THE PHOTOGRAPHY IS ESTIMATED TO RANGE FROM 1:370,000 TO 1:660,000.

IT IS ESTIMATED THAT ABOUT 40 PERCENT OF THE COMOR HIGHEST-PRIORITY TARGETS ARE COVERED BY THE MISSION.

2. PART II.

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END OF MESSAGE

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